

IC 8-16-3.1

Chapter 3.1. Major Bridge Fund

IC 8-16-3.1-1

Definitions

Sec. 1. (a) As used in this chapter, "eligible county" means a county that has:

- (1) a population of more than one hundred thousand (100,000) but less than seven hundred thousand (700,000); and
- (2) a major obstruction between commercial or population centers which is capable of causing an economic hardship because of excess travel required to conduct a normal level of commerce between the two (2) centers.

A major obstruction which is a part of a county boundary or a state boundary does not qualify for the purpose of this chapter.

(b) As used in this chapter, "major bridge" means the following:

- (1) A structure that is two hundred (200) or more feet in length and that is erected over a depression or an obstruction for the purpose of carrying motor vehicular traffic or other moving loads. However, the structure shall be one hundred (100) or more feet in length in a city having the following population:
 - (A) More than fifty-five thousand (55,000) but less than fifty-nine thousand (59,000).
 - (B) More than fifty-nine thousand (59,000) but less than fifty-nine thousand seven hundred (59,700).
 - (C) More than thirty-two thousand eight hundred (32,800) but less than thirty-three thousand (33,000).
- (2) An underpass of any length that is designed to carry motor vehicle traffic or other moving loads.

(c) As used in this chapter, "major obstruction" means a physical barrier to the passage of motor vehicle traffic that inhibits the use of the customary highway construction techniques to bridge the barrier without use of a grade separation structure.

As added by Acts 1979, P.L. 96, SEC.1. Amended by Acts 1982, P.L. 1, SEC.28; P.L.86-1988, SEC.21; P.L.12-1992, SEC.65; P.L.61-1992, SEC.1; P.L.1-1993, SEC.50; P.L.170-2002, SEC.67.

IC 8-16-3.1-2 Repealed

(Repealed by P.L.86-1988, SEC.227.)

IC 8-16-3.1-3

Repealed

(Repealed by P.L.86-1988, SEC.227.)

IC 8-16-3.1-4

Creation of fund; purpose; tax levy

Sec. 4. (a) The executive of any eligible county may provide a major bridge fund in compliance with IC 6-1.1-41 to make available funding for the construction of major bridges.

(b) The executive of any eligible county may levy a tax in

compliance with IC 6-1.1-41 not to exceed three and thirty-three hundredths cents (\$0.0333) on each one hundred dollars (\$100) assessed valuation of all taxable personal and real property within the county to provide for the major bridge fund.

As added by Acts 1979, P.L.96, SEC.1. Amended by P.L.86-1988, SEC.22; P.L.17-1995, SEC.10; P.L.178-2002, SEC.78.